

Blue Knights NY III

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Blue Knights New York III Newsletter

October 3, 2006

The following were in attendance

Keith Lipsey, Fran Lipsey, Krystal Lipsey, Kyrstie Lipsey, Carl Raymo, Ken Alberg, John Werkema, Greg Munkelt, Dave Howard, Frank Cuevas, Frank Basile, Pete Miller, Joe Doherty, Sal Napolitano, Bob Ferrigan, Tom Mazzola, Lenny Curcio, Ken Lopez Jr., Dave McDonald

Vice President Keith Lipsey called the meeting to order at 7:20 PM.

VP Lipsey led the members and guests in the Pledge of Allegiance followed by a moment of silence for the Members of Heaven I and the US Armed Forces.

Pete Miller made a motion seconded by Dave McDonald to accept the September minutes as written. All were in favor.

VP Lipsey made the introduction of BKNY 3's chaplain Joe Doherty, his daughters' Krystal and Kyrstie and friends, Greg Munkelt, Ken Alberg and John Werkema.

Treasurer Report given by Dave Howard.

Quarter Master Report given by Dave McDonald

AMA Report given by Dave McDonald

AMA Rep. McDonald reported a District meeting coming up November 10th in Whitestone, NY. To also think about holding an event next year. That we should try to secure a date for a 50-mile radius ride. He suggested a possible ride for St. Judes Hospital 'Ride For Kids' with 80 cents out of every dollar going to the cause.

BKNY III Raffle Ticket drawings start in November and there are more tickets for sale.

BKNY III Picnic was success including beautiful ride through the Shawangunks. Good food, good weather and good company.

BKNY III MTA Ride & Picnic got rained out.

A big **Congratulations** went out to Tim McGuire for being voted the **New York State Boating Law Enforcement Officer of the Year**.

October birthday wishes went out to Ben Barela, Dave Howard, Greg Tousaint, Mick Houser, Robert Johnston and Dave McDonald.

Sal Napolitano made a motion seconded by Bob Ferrigan to secure a bike blessing date with Tri-State for next year. All were in favor.

President Raymo will submit the date with Tri-State at the Conference on October 7th.

VP Lipsey reminded us about BK International in Milwaukee July 15 to 19, 2007.

Pete Miller made mention of the Concrete Canyon ride coming up October 7th, starting in Wilhawkin and ending up at Coyote Ugly. Check out www.ConcreteCanyon.com

Nominations for 2007 Chapter Officer closed with no additions.

President Keith Lipsey
Vice President Dave McDonald
Treasurer Dave Howard
Secretary Lenny Curcio
Road Captain Eddie Burgos
Director Tommy Mazzola

Elections will be at the November meeting.

50/50 was won by guest Krystal Lipsey.

Reminders were put out about a Christmas Party and voting on a December meeting so we may advise Uno of our intentions.

VP Lipsey reminded all of the new ideas needed for any 2007 events, rides, activities etc. Possibly getting together on February 4, 2007 for a Superbowl party as seen on BKNY XXX website.

Sal Napolitano made a motion and Tom Mazzola seconded it for a donation to Make A Wish and COPS Run. All in favor.

Pete Miller suggested a ride for Alzheimer's in the Spring of 2007. He stated that he would make the arrangements including food at the end of the ride.

A check was written for Tri-State from NY 3.

President Raymo reminded us that renewal dues is due for 2007, December's meeting.

Correspondence

Poughkeepsie Rural Cemetery thanked the Blue Knights in their October 2006 Newsletter for assisting in the erecting and dismantling the flag display. They additional request assistance posting of the flags on November 9th at 9:00 AM, with a removal on November 13th, same time.

Make A Wish gave us a big thanks in a letter of gratitude, dated October 9, 2006. They added that they are working on a Wish Magicians for a 15 year old girl named Nicole of Sullivan County who would like to shop once in Paris. She has a passion for fashion.

Minutes were taken by Lady Knight Fran Lipsey. Thank you Fran